

## **Looe Community Academy**

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Dear Parent/Carer

## IOS 2018 - Isles of Scilly Residential Adventure - Challenge Week July 2018

Many thanks to those parents and carers who paid the deposit of £50 for the IOS Residential Adventure during Challenge Week 2018. I can confirm your son/daughter has secured a place on the forthcoming residential trip.

This will be an exciting and challenging opportunity for your son/daughter to take part in a residential camping adventure on the Isles of Scilly. Students will travel to the Isles of Scilly on the Scillonian ferry, camp on the Cornwall Outdoors dedicated schools' camp site at Pelistry Farm on St Mary's and take part in a range of exciting and challenging activities:

- Coasteering on St Mary's with Kernow Coasteering (Life on the Edge)
- Swimming with seals from St Martin's with Scilly Seal Snorkelling
- Fast rib ride from Tresco with Island Sea Safaris
- Bear Grylls adventure on Samson
- Swimming on idyllic deserted beaches St Mary's and Samson
- Ferry rides between islands with Island Carriers
- Camping out under the stars on St Mary's

The total cost of the adventure is £390, which includes all activities, accommodation, food and transport. All payments needs to be paid in full by Friday 25 May 2018 and payments can be made via parent pay or cheque payable to 'SMART – Looe Community Academy'.

Below is a suggested payment plan to help spread the cost of the trip:

Payment	Date	Amount
Deposit	Jan 2018	£50
Payment 2	25 March 2018	£110
Payment 3	25 April 2018	£110
Payment 4	25 May 2018	£120
Total		£390

The Academy is unable to subsidise the adventure, so should your circumstances change, please contact me as soon as possible so that we can arrange an alternative Challenge Week programme for your child.



The adventure will begin with the coach leaving the Academy early on the morning of Saturday 14 July and finish with the coach returning to the Academy late in the evening on Friday 20 July 2018.

An Information evening for parents/carers will be held on Wed 16 May 2018 at 6.00pm where you will be able to meet the staff, find out more about what will happen during our week on the Isles of Scilly and ask any questions.

If you have any questions in the meantime please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours faithfully

Ed Gilbert Leader of Learning for Science

